

PETITION TO WITHDRAW NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT

INVENTOR: Flore, Ornella
SERIAL NO.: 09/976,838
FILED: October 15, 2001
FOR: Compositions For and Method of Using Triterpenoids

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The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to respond to a Notice for Missing Parts.

APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION

Enclosed are the following:

- (1) A check in the amount of \$665 to cover the small entity Petition fee;
- (2) Response to Office Action dated October 2, 2002

Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.

The entire delay in filing the required reply to the notice of missing parts from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional.

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Respectfully submitted,



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